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PREFACE.

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In preparing this book we have traversed up and down our "Song Land" by correspondence and otherwise and secured what we deem as some very valuable acquisitions to the world of song.

The imagination of a song-writer soars away to song land and brings

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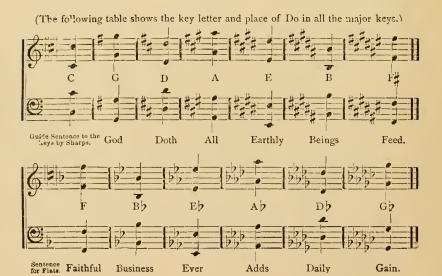
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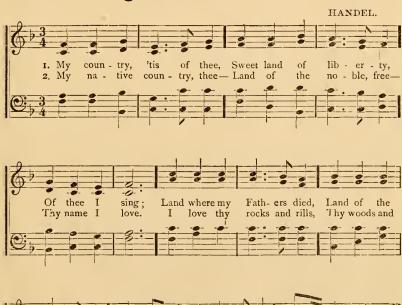
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- 3 Let music swell the breeze,
 And ring from all the trees
 Sweet freedom's song;
 Let mortal tongues awake;
 Let all that breathe partake;
 Let rocks their silence break—
 The sound prolong.
- 4 Our fathers' God, to Thee, Author of liberty, To Thee we sing; Long may our land be bright, With freedom's holy light; Protect us by Thy might, Great God, our King.

No. 2. Music In Heaven.



No. 3.

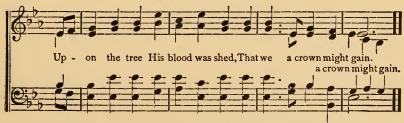
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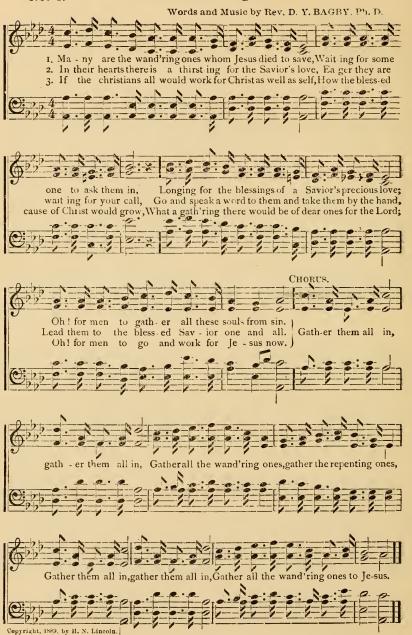




- 4 E'er since, by faith, I saw the stream
 Thy flowing wounds supply,
 Redeeming love has been my theme,
 And shall be, till I die.
- 5 Then in a nobler, sweeter song,
 I'll sing Thy power to save,
 When this poor lisping stamm'ring tongue
 Lies silent in the grave.

No. 4.

Gather Them In.



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Rev. JOHN FAWCETT, 1772.

From H. G. NAGELI.



No. 6. I am Coming to the Cross.



4 In Thy promises I trust, Now I feel the blood applied;

I am prostrate in the dust,
I with Christ am crucified.—CHO.

5 Jesus comes! He fills my soul! Perfected in Him I am;

I am every whit made whole, Glory, glory to the Lamb.—CHO.

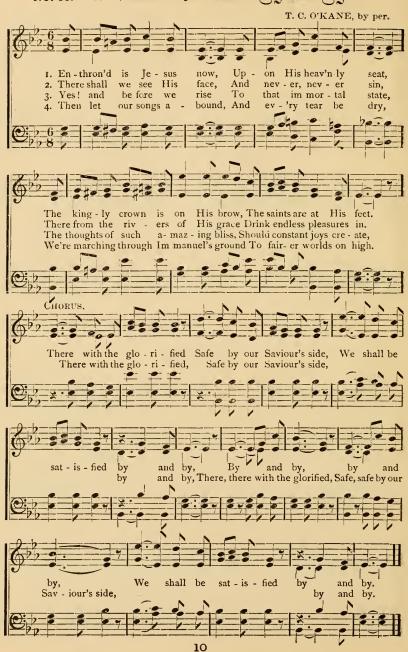


No. 9. I am Trusting Thee.





No. 11. We shall be Satisfied By and By.



No. 12. The new Jesus Bover of my Soul.



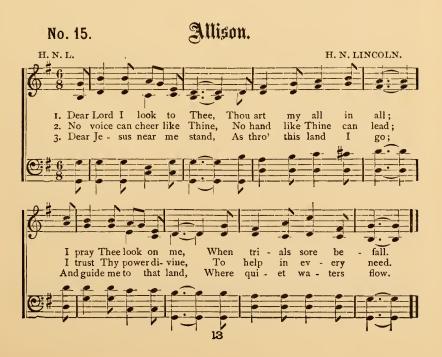
No. 13. father, we Rest in Thy Love.



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No. 14. Yow and Then.





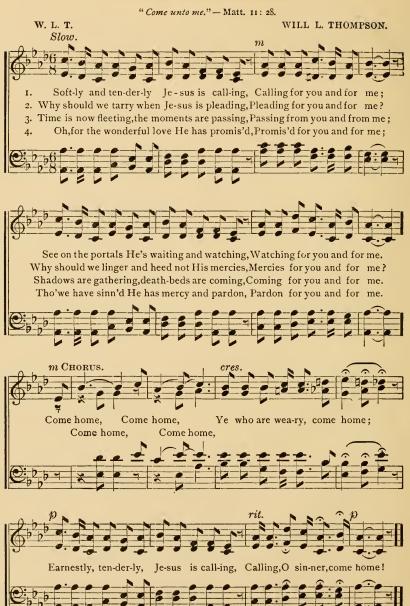
No. 16. Saints Immortal Home.



No. 17. Do They Know Each Other There?



No. 18. Softly and Tenderly.



No. 19. Our Other Home.



The Garden of the Bord. No. 20.



The Garden of the Lord. Concluded.



- 2 He will save you.
- 3 He is able.
- 4 He is willing.
- 5 He is waiting.
- 6 O believe Him.
- 7 O receive Him. 8 Jesus loves you.

- 9 He will bless you.
- 10 He will cleanse you.
- 11 Only trust Him.
- 12 Let us praise Him.
- 13 Hallelujah. Amen.



No. 23. Because my Dear Saviour so Loves me.





No. 25.

Cling.

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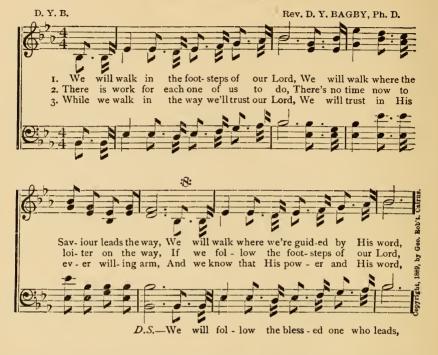


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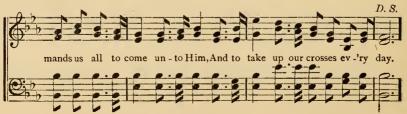


As arr. in "Songs of the New Life," by per. John J. Hood.

No. 28. Walking with Jesus.







No. 29. Seeking the Lost Sheep.

"To-day, if ye will hear His voice."-Heb. 3: 15. G. A. J. M. HUNT, by per. stray - ing, Lost from the Sav. iour's fold! ny sheep are them, Who, for the Sav iour's sake 2. () who will go to find 3. O will seek to find them, From pleas - ant bow'rs of ease? who From "Gospel Alarm. the lone - ly mount - ains, They shiv - er in the cold: Will search with tire - less pa - tience, Thro' bri - er and thro' brake? go forth de - ter - min'd To find the least of thick - et, Where poi - son vines do creep, hun - ger, Who still from day to day, the tan - gled Un - heed - ing thirst and the Sav - iour calls them, And looks a - cross the wold, ver rock - y ledg - es, Wan - der And the poor lost sheep. seek as for a treas - ure, The sheep that go He holds wide o - pen The door in - to His fold.

No. 30. Pray for Your Boy, To-night.

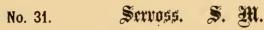


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Bray for Your Boy, To-night.—Concluded.











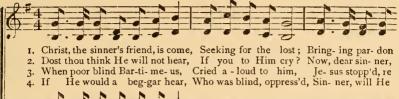
The Bily of the Valley. No. 32. English Melody, ev - 'ry- thing to me, He's the I have found a friend in Je-sus, He's all my griefs has ta-ken, and all my sor-rows borne; In temp-3. He will nev-er, nev- er leave me, nor yet for-sake me here. While I fair- est of ten thou-sand to my soul; The Lil-y of the Val lev. ta-tion He's my strong and mighty tow'r; I have all for Him for-sa-ken, and live by faith and do His bless-ed will; A wall of fire a-bout me, I've D. S.—Lil - y the Val-ley, the of FINE. Him a lone I see All I need to cleanse and make me ful ly whole. all my i-dols torn From my heart, and now He keeps me by His power. nothing now to fear, With His man- na He my hun-gry soul shall fill. bright and Morning Star, He's the fair - est of ten thou-sand to my soul. In sor - row He's my com - fort, troub - le He's in my stay, the world for - sake me, all and Sa - tan tempts me sore. His bless - ed Then sweep-ing up to glo - ry, to see face. D.S.Нe ev tells me 'ry care on Him to roll. He's the Thro' Je - sus Ι shall safe - ly reach the goal. He's the de - light shall ev - er roll. He's the Where riv - ers Used by per. W. Bramwell Booth. Owner of Copyright. 30

No. 33. The Sinner's Friend is Come.

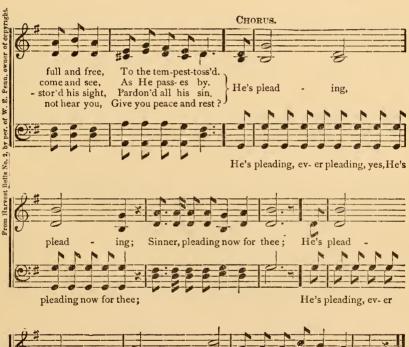
Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.—1 Tim. 1: 15.

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pleading, yes He's pleading now for thee;



Tell it Again .- Concluded.



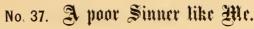
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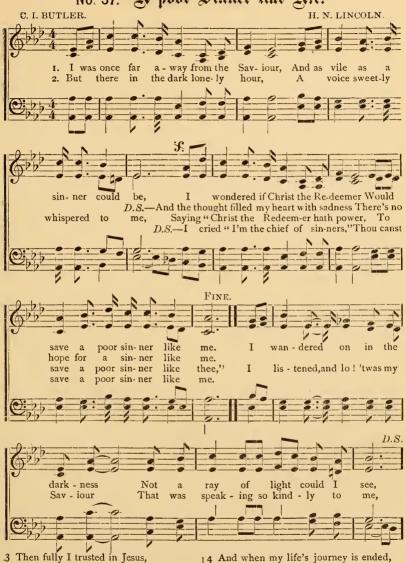
The Ninetv and Nine. Key A.

- I There were ninety and nine that safely lay
 In the shelter of the fold,
 But one was out on the hills away,
 Far off from the gates of gold—
 Away on the mountains wild and bare,
 Away from the tender Shepherd's care,
 Away from the tender Shepherd's care.
- 2 "Lord, Thou hast here thy ninety and nine;
 Are they not enough for Thee?"
 But the Shepherd made answer, "'Tis of mine
 Has wandered away from me,"
 "And although the rocks be rough and steep,
 I go to the desert to find my sheep"
 I go to the desert to find my sheep.
- 3 But none of the ransomed ever knew
 How deep were the waters crossed;
 Nor how dark was the night that the Lord passed through
 Ere He found the sheep that was lost.
 Out in the desert He heard its cry,
 Sick and helpless and ready to die,
 Sick and helpless and ready to die.
- 4 "Lord, whence are those blood-drops all the way That mark out the mountain's track?"
 "They were shed for one who had gone astray Ere the Shepherd could bring him back."
 "Lord, whence are thy hands so rent and torn?"
 "They're pierced to-night by many a thorn"
 - "They're pierced to-night by many a thorn"
 "They're pierced to-night by many a thorn."
- 5 But all through the mountains, thunder-riven,
 And up from the rocky steep,
 There rose a glad cry to the gates of heaven,
 "Rejoice I have found my sheep."
 And the angels echoed around the throne,
 "Rejoice, for the Lord brings back His own,"
 "Rejoice, for the Lord brings back His own."

No. 36. Here am J, send me.







And oh, what a joy came to me; My heart then was full of praises, For he saved a poor sinner like me. No longer in darkness I'm dwelling,

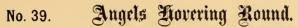
For the light now is shining on me, And the story to others I'm telling, How he saved a poor sinner like me. 4 And when my life's journey is ended, And I my dear Saviour shall see;

I'll praise him forever and ever, For saving a sinner like me.

I'll sing the sweet song of redemption, With loved on es who passed on before; I'll drink of life's fountain forever,

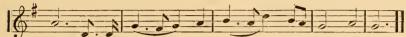
On that beautiful, beautiful shore.







There are an .- gels hov - 'ring round, There are an - gels hov - 'ring



gels hov - 'ring round. - - gels, round, There are an an

4 Poor sinners are coming home, etc. 2 To carry the tidings home, etc. 3 To the New Jerusalem, etc. 5 And Jesus bids them come, etc.

6 There's glory all around, etc.

No. 40.

Thine. Aline.

H. BONAR. (arr.).

H. N. LINCOLN. By per.



2. Mercies are Thine, Re-mem-ber me, Great sins are mine, Oh, par-don me.

All light is Thine, Shine now on me, True life is Thine, Oh breathe on me, All death is mine, Lord, quicken me.



We Praise Thee, O God. Key of G. No. 41.

1 We praise Thee, God! for the Son of Thy

For Jesus who died, and is now gone above!

CHO.—Hallelujah! Thine the glory, Hallelujah, amen,

Hallelujah! Thine the glory, revive us again.

2 We praise Thee, O God! for Thy Spirit of light,

Who has shown us our Saviour, and scattered our night.

3 All glory and praise to the Lamb that was slain,

Who has borne all our sins, and cleansed every stain.

4 All glory and praise to the God of all

Who has bought us, and sought us, and guided our ways.

Happy Day, Key of G. No. 42.

I O happy day, that fixed my choice On Thee my Saviour and my God! Well may this glowing heart rejoice And tell its raptures all abroad.

Сно. — Нарру day, happy day, When Jesus washed my sins away; He taught me how, to watch and pray,

> And live rejoicing every day; Happy day, happy happy, When Jesus washed my sins away.

2 'Tis done, the great transaction's done-I am my Lord's and He is mine;

He drew me, and I followed on, Charmed to confess the voice divine.

3 Now rest my long divided heart: Fixed on this blissful centre, rest; Nor ever from thy Lord depart.

With Him of every good possessed.

Come, Ye Disconsolate. Key of D. No. 43. I Come, ye disconsolate! where'er ye languish,

Come to the mercy-seat, fervently kneel; Here bring your wounded hearts, here tell your anguish;

Earth has no sorrow that heav'n cannot heal.

2 Joy of the desolate, light of the straying, Hope of the penitent, fadeless and pure! Here speaks the Comforter, tenderly saying,

Earth has no sorrow that heav'n cannot cure.

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J'm Thine, Forever Thine. No. 44.

"My beloved is mine, and I am His." Cant. ii. 16.



Work for the Night. Key of F. No. 45. Work for the night is coming; Work through the morning hours; Work, while the dew is sparkling; Work, 'mid springing flowers; Work, when the day grows brighter; Work, in the glowing sun;

Work, for the night is coming, When man's work is done.

2 Work, for the night is coming; Work through the sunny noon. Fill brightest hours with labor; Rest comes sure and soon. Give every flying minute Something to keep in store; Work, for the night is coming, When man works no more.

3 Work for the night is coming, Under the sunset skies; While their bright tints are glowing, Work, for daylight flies. Work, till the last beam fadeth, Fadeth to shine no more: Work, while the night is darkening, When man's work is o'er.

Martyn. Key of r. No. 46. 1 Jesus, lover of my soul, Let me to thy bosom fly, While the nearer waters roll. While the tempest still is high; Hide me, oh, my Saviour, hide, Till the storm of life is past; Safe into the haven guide, Oh, receive my soul at last.

2 Other refuge have I none, Hangs my helpless soul on thee: Leave, oh, leave me not alone, Still support and comfort me. All my trust on thee is stayed, All my help from thee I bring; Cover my defenseless head With the shadow of thy wing,

3 Thou, O Christ, art all I want; More than all in thee I find: Raise the fallen, cheer, the faint, Heal the sick, and lead the blind. Just and holy is thy name, I am all unrighteousness; Vile, and full of sin I am, Thou art full of truth and grace.

Cross and Crown. Key of A. No. 47. 1 Must Jesus bear the cross alone, And all the world go free? No, there's a cross for every one, And there's a cross for me.

2 The consecrated cross I'll bear, Till death shall set me free: And then go home my crown to wear, For there's a crown for me.

3 Upon the crystal pavement, down At Jesus' pierced feet, With joy I'll cast my golden crown, And His dear name repeat.

4 O precious cross! O glorious crown! O resurrection day! Ye angels, from the stars come down,

And bear my soul away.

No. 48. What a Friend we have in Jesus. I What a friend we have in Jesus, All our sins and griefs to bear; What a privilege to carry Everything to God in prayer, Oh, what peace we often forfeit, Oh, what needless pain we bear-All because we do not carry Everything to God in prayer.

2 Have we trials and temptations? Is there trouble anywhere? We should never be discouraged. Take it to the Lord in prayer. Can we find a Friend so faithful. Who will all our sorrows share? Jesus knows our every weakness. Take it to the Lord in prayer.

3 Are we weak and heavy-laden, Cumbered with a load of care? Precious Saviour, still our refuge, Take it to the Lord in prayer. Do thy friends despise, forsake thee? Take it to the Lord in prayer: In His arms He ll take and shield thee Thou wilt find a solace there.

The Soldier of the Cross. Key of A. No. 49. The Soldier of the Cross. Kev of A. The I a soldier of the cross, A follower of the Lamb? And shall I fear to own his cause, Or blush to speak his name.

2 Must I be carried to the skies, On flowery beds of ease? While others fought to win the prize, And sailed through bloody seas?

3 Are there no foes for me to face? Must I not stem the flood? Is this vain world a friend to grace, To help me on to God.

4 Since I must fight, if I would reign, Increase my courage. Lord! I'll bear the toil, endure the pain, Supported by Thy Word.

5 Thy saints, in all this glorious war, Shall conquer, though they die; They see the triumph from afar, With faith's discerning eye.

Doxology. Key of E. No. 50. Praise God from whom all blessings flow, Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

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No. 51.

Shall we Meet?



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No. 52. What must it be to be There?

Mrs. ELIZABETH MILLS. A. J. BUCHANAN. I. We sing of the land of the blest, A country so bright and so fair, sing of its path-ways of gold, Its walls decked with jewels so rare, sing of its peace and its love, sing of its free-dom from sin, From sor row, tempta-tion and care, 5. Dear Lord in our pleas-ure or woe, For heav en our spir-its pre-pare, And oft are its glo - ries con-fest, But what must it won ders and pleasures un told, But what must it be there? The songs of the bless - ed a-bove, But what must it be there? be to From tri - als with-out and with-in, Then soon to that land we will go, But what must it be to be there? And know what it be there? CHORUS. To be there, to be there. Oh, what must it be to be there? To be there. to be there, To be there. to be there. Oh, what must it be to be there? To be there To be there,

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No. 55. While the Days are Going by.



No. 56. The Beautiful Eden Above.

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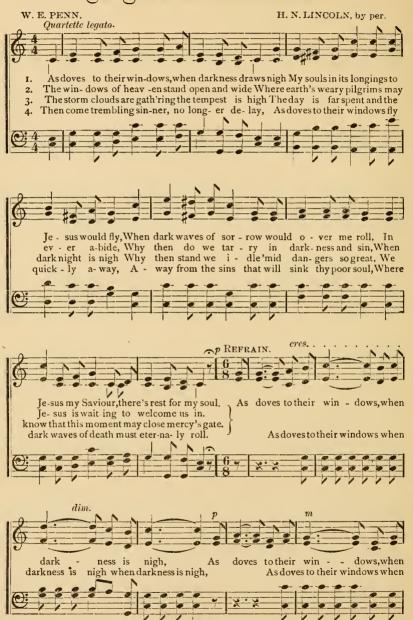


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No. 57. Seeking The Lost.

Written after hearing a sermon by J. H. BOYET, D. D., from James 5, 20. Words and Music by A. J. BUCHANAN. I. Will you go and speak to the lost ones here? To the ones who have gone astray, 2. Will you go and speak to the sinners blind? And who walk in midnight gloom, 3. Will you tell them all if they will believe? That their souls will be truly blest, 4. Will you go and tell them the Saviour died? And provided for them the way, Will you lead them back to the Shepherd's fold? From their wand'rings in sin's dark way. Will you bear some light to their darken'd mind? Will you tell them their coming doom? For the Saviour said that they shall receive Precious blessings of peace and rest, If they ful - ly trust in the cru-ci- fied He will pardon their sins to-day. CHORUS. Will you now? them Will you seek Will you seek them Will you seek Will now. them you them the way? show them the way? Will you show them the way? Some one may be lost, That you might lead home, To that bright land of per - fect day. Copyright, 1889, by H. N. LINCOLN. 45

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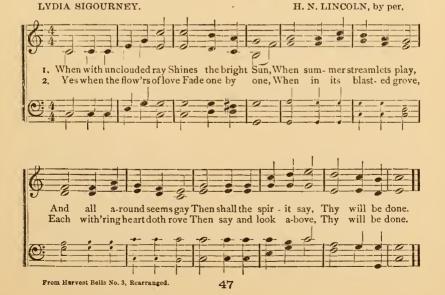
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Thy will be Done. No. 59.

LYDIA SIGOURNEY.



No. 60.

Only a Little While.

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No. 61. Sweet Hour of Prayer. Key of D.

- I Sweet hour of pray'r! sweet hour of pray'r!
 That calls me from a world of care,
 And bids me at my Father's throne
 Make all my wants and wishes known;
 In seasons of distress and grief,
 My soul has often found relief,
 ||: And oft escaped the tempter's snare,
 By thy return, sweet hour of prayer.:||
- 2 Sweet hour of pray'r! sweet hour of pray'r! Thy wings shall my petition bear To Him whose truth and faithfulness Engage the waiting soul to bless.

And since He bids me seek His face, Believe His word, and trust His grace, ||: I'll cast on Him my ever care, And wait for thee, sweet hour of pray'r!:||

3 Sweet hour of pray'r! sweet hour of pray'r!
May I thy consolation share,
'Till from Mount Pisgah's lofty height,
I view my home and take my flight;
This robe of flesh I'll drop, and rise
To seize the everlasting prize,
||: And shout, while passing thro' the air,
Farewell, farewell, sweet hour of pray'r.:||

No. 62. Sinner, Come to Jesus.

Words and Music by A. J. BUCHANAN.







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No. 63. Amazing Grace.

I Amazing grace, how sweet the sound,
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found;

Was blind, but now I see.

- CHO.—O how I love Jesus, O how I love
 - O how I love Jesus, because He first loved me.
- 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, And grace my fears relieved;

- How precious did that grace appear, The hour I first believed.
- 3 Thro' many dangers, toils, and snares, I have already come: 'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far, And grace that leads me home.
- 4 The Lord has promised good to me, llis word my hope secures; He will my shield and portion be, As long as life endures.

No. 64. Already Condemned.



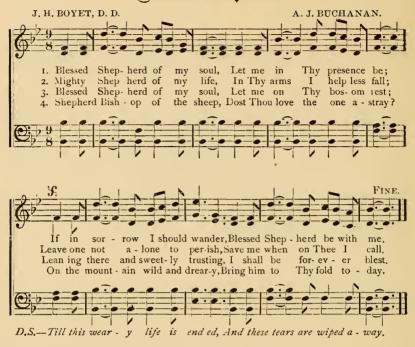
No. 65.

Evening Prayer.



No. 66.

Blessed Shepherd.





No. 67. Come, Holy Spirit. Ortonville, Key of Bb.

- I Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly dove, With all thy quick'ning powers; Kindle a flame of sacred love In these cold hearts of ours.
- 2 In vain we tune our formal songs In vain we strive to rise: Hosannas languish on our tongues, And our devotion dies.
- 3 Dear Lord! and shall we ever live At this poor dying rate; Our love so faint, so cold to thee, And thine to us so great?
- 4 Come, Holy Spirit, heavenly Dove, With all Thy quick'ning powers; Come shed abroad a Saviour's love, And that shall kindle ours.

No. 68. Around the Great White Throne.



No. 69. I would Be of use to Thee.



No. 70. When I can read my Title Clear.

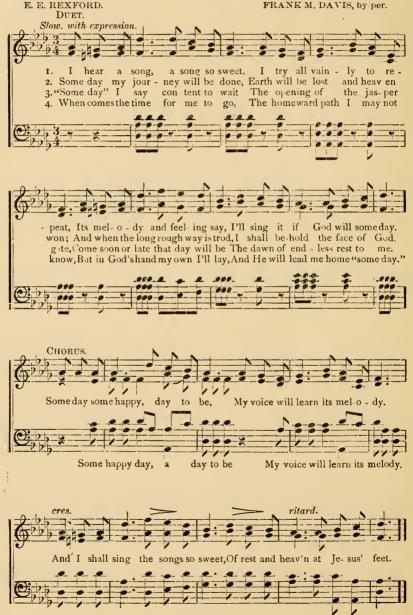
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No. 71.

Some Day.

And they sing the song of Moses and the Lamb. Rev. 15: 3.



No. 72. Seek first the Kingdom of God.

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- I. Trav- 'ler on life's great high - way, Striv-ing for earth - ly
- it now my broth er, Be not de-ceived I 2. See to pray,
- 3. Vain are the world's al lur ments, Fleet-ing the joys



for - tune, Yet it Though you a - mass a may prove loss, of fol - ly, Shun the broad road En - ter the nar - row way. not to seek God's King - dom, Je - sus will let in.



our Fa - ther's King-dom, En - ter His peace - ful fold. wel - fare, While the bright mo- ments Look to your fu - ture roll, Then to you shall be add - ed, Rich-es in earth - ly store.



a treas - ure, More to be sought than is end - ed, How then will fare your Here you will find When this brief life soul? All that you need He'll give you, How could you wish more?



No. 73. Oh Land of the Blessed.



No. 74. I gave My Life for Thee.



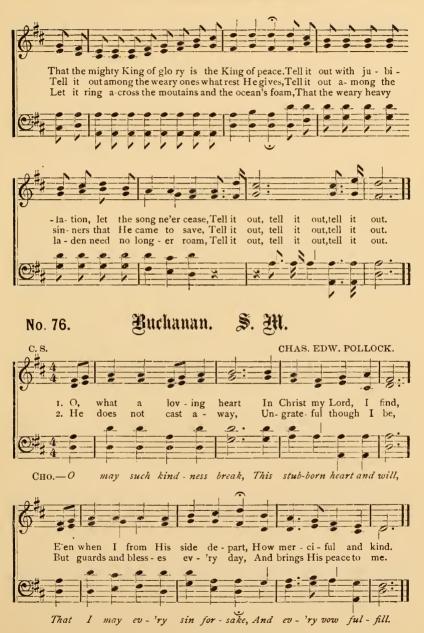
No. 75.

Tell it Out.

Go ye therefore and teach all nations. Matthew 28; 10.



Tell it Out.—Concluded.





In the Shadow of the Rock etc.—Concluded.



No. 79. Never Ashamed of Jesus.



No. 80. Death is only a Dream.

The last words of a Minister's daughter.

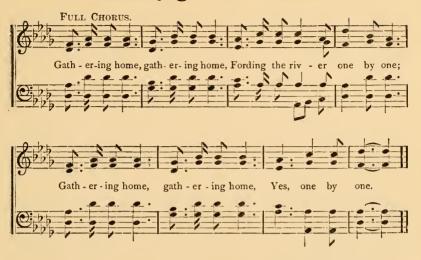
REV. H. B. PENDAR. Music and Chorus by A. J. BUCHANAN. Solo. Mother 'twas dark but the light came at last, And flooded my soul with its gleam, "Fis 2. Mother I've often-times tho't during life Oh, how shall I cross the dark stream, But 3. Mother I saw thro' the vail clear across To the banks of the beautiful stream, Where the 4. Mother tell father I've seen the bright host That God gave His Son to redeem, I Tell him that trusting will make all bright, When he comes to the much dreaded stream. For true that this life is by clouds o'er-cast, And death is on-ly a Je-sus hath giv-en me gracious re-lief For death is on-ly a dream. Saints are re-paid for all earth - ly loss For death is on-ly a know He will faithfully stand at His post For death is on-ly a dream. dream. tru-ly 'tis on-ly the soul taking flight, And death is on-ly a dream. CHORUS. a dream, Of glo - ry peaceful the slumber, how happy the waking, For death is on - ly

No. 81.

Gathering Kome.



Gathering Home. Concluded.



No. 82. Evening Blessing.



No. 83. The Dead in Christ shall Rise.

Suggested by the picture of a departed friend.

"And the dead in Christ shall rise first." 1 Thess. 4-16. Words and Music by A. J. BUCHANAN.



- How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, Is laid for your faith in His excellent word! What more can He say than to you He hath said— You who unto Jesus for refuge have fled?
- 2 In every condition—in sickness, in health, In poverty's vale, or abounding in wealth, At home and abroad, on the land, on the sea,— As thy day may demand, shall thy strength ever be.
- 3 E'en down to old age, all my people shall prove My sovereign, eternal, unchangeable love; And when hoary hairs shall their temples adorn, Like lambs they shall still in my bosom be borne.
- 4 The soul that on Jesus hath leaned for repose, I will not, I will not desert to its foes; That soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake, I'll never, no never, no never, forsake!

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No. 87. Working for the Crown.



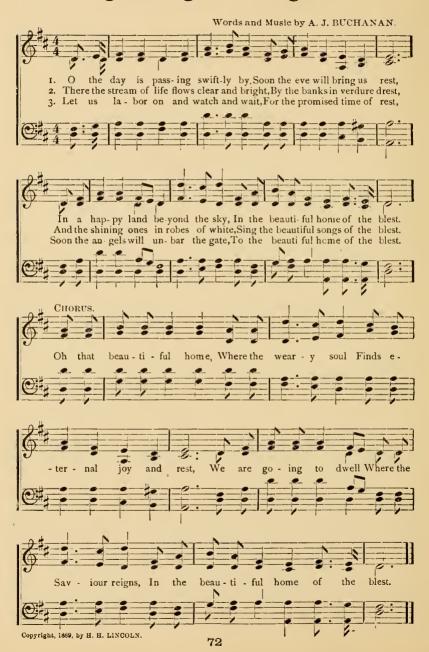
Working for the Crown.—Concluded.



No. 88. @ Bord, we love Thy Name.



No. 89. Beautiful Home of the Blest.





No. 91. Lead Me, Saviour Lead Me.



No. 92. The Song and the Star.





No. 94. Jesus of Pasareth is passing this way.



The City of Refuge. No. 95. FANNY CROSBY. H. N. LINCOLN. Soli. Earnestly. 0 guilt - y one haste, the of ref - uge ī. to y 2. 0 guilt - y one haste, for the day - beams are fad - ing 3. O wear - y one haste, for the night - clouds pur - sue thee, 4. 0 He cheer - ing thee on - ward wear - y one haste. is DUET, Tenderly. Where safe ty and mer cy а wait thee. free A - far on the des ert say why wilt thou roam. How dark lv they frown on the cold mount - ain brow of thv thou wilt One step and the cross Lord TUTTI. Pleadingly. 0 haste with thy bur den of sin and sor - row. The of arms thy Sav iour will glad ly en - fold thee, The voice of the tem - pest wail - ing a - round thee, is The His love through the voice of dark ness is break - ing Encouragingly. for Thy - ing lov Re wait ing thee. deem- er is He longs with for give-ness wel - come thee home. to And shel none but thee Sav- iour can ter thee now. All glo ry to Te - sus the Lamb that was slain. CHORUS. 0 the ref - uge free to the ref -To uge To the ref - uge sure and free fly to the cit - y of ref-uge to-day With thy sin and sor row Je - sus waits for thee. Haste with thy bur den of sin and of sor-row Je - sus waits He waits for thee. 78

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- "Go ye therefore and teach all nations." Matt. xxviii: 19.
 From Greenland's icy mountains, From India's coral strand, Where Afric's sunny fountains Roll down their golden sand,—From many an ancient river, From many a palmy plain, They call us to deliver Their land from error's chain.
 - What though the spicy breezes
 Blow soft o'er Ceylon's isle!
 Though every prospect pleases,
 And only man is vile!
 In vain with lavish kindness
 The gifts of God are strown;
 The heathen, in his blindness,
 Bows down to wood and stone.
 - 3 Shall we, whose souls are lighted
 With wisdom from on high,—
 Shall we to men benighted
 The lamp of life deny?
 Salvation, O Salvation!
 The joyful sound proclaim,
 Till earth's remotest nation
 Has learned Messiah's name.
 - 4 Waft, waft, ye winds, his story, And you, ye waters, roll, Till, like a sea of glory, It spreads from pole to pole; Till o er our ransomed nature The Lamb, for sinners slain, Redeemer, King, Creator, In bliss returns to reign.

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1 How happy are they
Who the Saviour obey,
And whose treasures are laid up above,
Tongue can not express
The sweet comfort and peace

Of a soul in its earliest love.

2 That comfort was mine, When the favor divine I first found in the blood of the Lamb; When my heart first believed, O, what joy I received! What a heaven in Jesus' name!

3 'Twas a heaven below
The Redeemer to know;
And the angels could do nothing more
Than to fall at His feet,
And the story repeat,
And the Lover of sinners adore.

4 Jesus, all the day long,

Vas my joy and my song;
Oh, that all His salvation might see!
He hath loved me, I cried,
He hath suffered and died
To redeem such a rebel as me.

98 I Need Thee Key of Ab.

I I need Thee every hour,
Most gracious Lord;
No tender voice like Thine
Can peace afford.

Ref.—I need Thee, oh, I need Thee;
Every hour I need Thee;
Oh, bless me now, my Saviour;
I come to Thee.

- 2 I need Thee every hour; Stay Thou near by: Temptations lose their power When Thou art nigh.
- 3 I need Thee every hour, In joy or pain; Come quickly and abide, Or life is vain.
- 4 I need Thee every hour Teach me Thy will: And Thy rich promises In me fulfill.

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The Beautiful River.

Key 1-p.

I Shall we gather at the river
Where bright angel feet have trod;
With its crystal tide for ever
Flowing by the throne of God.

Cho.—Yes, we'll gather at the river,
The beautiful, the beautiful river—
Gather with the saints at the river.
That flows by the throne of God.

2 On the margin of the river, Washing up its silver spray, We will walk and worship ever, All the happy golden day. CHO.—Ves, we'll gather at the river, &c,

3 Ere we reach the shining river, Lay we every burden down, Grace our spirits will deliver, And provide a robe and crown. CHO.—Yes, we'll gather at the river, &c.

- 4 At the smiling of the river,
 Mirror of the Saviour's face,
 Saints whom death will never sever,
 Lift their songs of saving grace.
 CHO.—Yes, we'll gather at the river, &c.
- 5 Soon we'll reach the silver river, Soon our pilgrinnage will cease; Soon our happy hearts will quiver, With the melody of peace. CHO.—Yes, we'll gather at the river, &c.

No. 100. We shall meet each other there.

(Answer to Shall we Meet? No. 51.)



D.S .- On the banks of that bright riv - er, We shall meet each oth - er there.



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No. 101. Nearer, my God, to thee. Key of G.

 Nearer, my God, to thee, Nearer to thee:
 E'en though it be a cross That raiseth me;
 Still all my song shall be, Nearer my God, to thee:
 Nearer to thee.

2 Though like a wanderer,
Daylight all gone,
Darkness be over me,
My rest a stone,
Yet in my dreams I'd be
Nearer, my God, to thee, etc.

3 There let the way appear Steps up to heaven; All that thou sendest me,
In mercy given,
Angels to beckon me,
Nearer, my God, to thee, etc.

4 Then with my waking thoughts
Bright with thy praise,
Out of my stony griefs
Bethel I'll raise;
So by my woes to be
Nearer, my God, to thee, etc.

5 Or if on joyful wing
Cleaving the sky,
Sun, moon, and stars forgot,
Upward I fly,
Still all my song shall be,
Nearer, my God, to thee, etc.

No. 102. Bringing in the Sheaves.

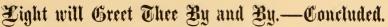


NO. 103. The Land of Pure Delight.

- I There is a land of pure delight, Where saints immortal reign; Infinite day excludes the night, And pleasures banish pain.
- 2 There everlasting spring abides, And never-with'ring flowers: Death, like a narrow sea, divides This heavenly land from ours.
- 3 Oh, could we make our doubts remove, The gloomy doubts that rise, And see the Canaan that we love, With unbeclouded eyes.
- 4 Could we but climb where Moses stood, And view the landscape o'er, Not Jordan's stream, nor death's cold flood. Should fright us from the shore.

No. 104. Light will Greet Thee By and By.







No. 105. Softly Woo Away Her Breath.



No. 106. The Happy Land.

C. E. P. CHAS EDW POLLOCK, by per. There is a land, a sun-ny clime, The brightest ev - er seen, Which Be-neath the Tree of life's dense shade Life's riv-er flow- eth by, And I long to reach that land so fair, My dwelling place to see; Abe - youd the shores of Be - yond time, Jor - dan's stream. nev - er fade, For there they nev - er man- sions there, Is one pre- pared for youth and beau - ty mong the ma - ny CHORUS. that land, that hap - py land! Oh, that land, Far a - way, Where the saints. far a- way, in glo-ry Where the saints in glo- ry a - way, a- way, stand. Bright as day, bright as day. stand, glo - ry stand Bright as day, bright as 84

No. 107. Just As J Am.



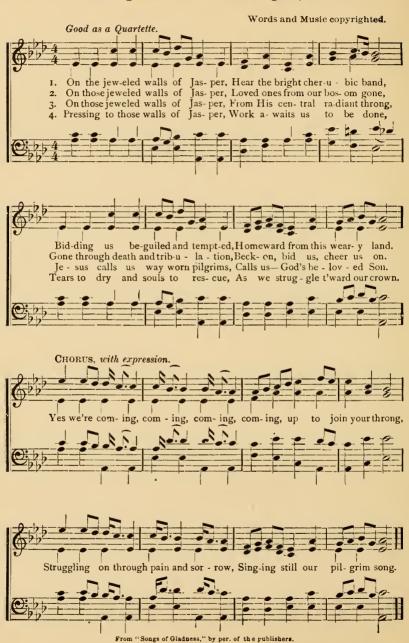
Bearer Home.



No. 109. The Beautiful Bearly Gate.



No. 110. The Jeweled Walls of Jasper.



No. 111. Beautiful Stream.

CHAS. EDW. POLLOCK. Oh, have you not heard of the beau-ti-ful stream, That flows thro' our Father's This beau- ti- ful stream is the riv - er of life, It flows for all na-tions Oh will you not drink of the beau-ti fulstream, And dwell on its peace-ful land. wa - ters gleam bright in heav - en - ly light, a free. balm for each wound in its wa - ters are found, shore, The Spir - it says, come, all wea - ry ones home, ye And CHORUS. gold - en rip - ple o'er beau sand. sin - ner it flows for thee. wan - der in sin no more. beau - ti - ful, beau - ti - ful Its Riv - er of pleasure di - vine, . . Riv - er of pleasure, of pleas-ure di - vine, beau - ti - ful stream, wa-ters gleam bright with its heavenly light, O beau - ti-ful stream. beautiful, beauti-ful 89

No. 112. Over the Silent Kiver.

Words and music by A. J. BUCHANAN.





D.S .- Soon we will dwell in those mansions fair, Over the si-lent riv-er.



No. 113. Retreat.
Key of C.
I From every stormy wind that blows,
From every swelling tide of woes,
There is a calm, a safe retreat:
'Tis found beneath the mercy-seat.

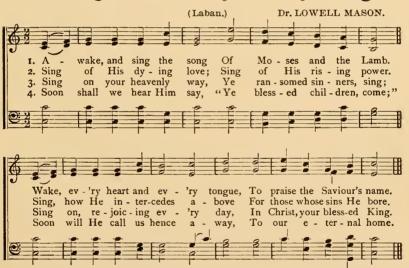
2 There is a place where Jesus sheds The oil of gladness on our heads; A place than all besides more sweet; It is the blood-bought mercy-seat.

- 3 There is a scene where spirits blend, Where friend holds fellowship with friend: Though sundered far, by faith they meet Around one common mercy-seat.
- 4 Oh, let my hands forget their skill, My tongue be silent, cold and still, This bounding heart forget to beat, Ere I forget the mercy-seat.

From every Stormy Wind that Blows. B. M.



No. 114. Awake, and Sing the Song. C. Al.



No. 115. My Soul, be on thy Guard.

I My soul, be on thy guard,
Ten thousand foes arise;
The hosts of sin are pressing hard
To draw thee from the skies.

2 Oh watch, and fight, and pray, The battle ne'er give o'er; Renew it boldly every day, And help divine implore.

- 3 Ne'er think the vict'ry won, Nor once at ease sit down; Thy arduous work will not be done, Till thou obtain thy crown.
- 4 Fight on, my soul, till death
 Shall bring thee to thy God;
 He'll take thee at thy parting breath,
 Up to His blest abode.

No. 116.

Sing of Jesus.



No. 117. Come, Humble Sinner.

- I Come, humble sinner, in whose breast
 A thousand thoughts revolve;
 Come, with your guilt and fear oppress'd,
 And make this last resolve:
- 2 I'll go to Jesus, though my sin Hath like a mountain rose; I know His courts, I'll enter in, Whatever may oppose:
- 3 Prostrate I'll lie before His throne, And there-my guilt confess; I'll tell Him I'm a wretch undone, Without His sovereign grace:
- 4 I'll to the gracious King approach, Whose sceptre pardon gives;

- Perhaps He may command my touch, And then the suppliant lives.
- 5 Perhaps He may admit my plea, Perhaps will hear my prayer; But if I perish, I will pray, And perish only there.
- 6 I can but perish if I go, I am resolved to try; For if I stay away, I know I must forever die.
- 7 But if I die with mercy sought, When I the King have tried, This were to die (delightful thought!) As sinner never died.

No. 118.

Trusting Jesus.



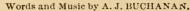
No. 119. Come, thou Fount.

- I Come, thou Fount of every blessing,
 Tune my heart to sing Thy grace,
 Streams of mercy, never ceasing,
 Call for songs of loudest praise,
 Teach me some melodious sonnet,
 Sung by flaming tongues above,
 Praise the mount—I'm fix'd upon it!
 Mount of Thy redeeming love.
- 2 Here I'll raise my Ebenezer, Hither by Thy help I'm come; And I hope, by Thy good pleasure, Safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger Wand'ring from the fold of God, He to rescue me from danger, Interposed His precious blood.

3 Oh! to grace how great a debtor,
Daily I'm constrained to be!
Let Thy goodness, like a tetter,
Bind my wandering heart to Thee;
Prone to wander Lord, I feel is:
Prone to leave the God I love—
Here's my heart, oh take and seal it:
Seal it for Thy courts above.

No. 120. We shall Reach the Yearly Gate by and by.





No. 121. He Leadeth me.

- I He leadeth me! oh, blessed thought, Oh! words with heav'nly comfort fraught; Whate'er I do, where'er I be, Still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me
- REF.—He leadeth me! He leadeth me!
 By His own hand He leadeth me;
 His faithful follower I would be,
 For by His hand He leadeth me.
- 2 Sometimes 'mid scenes of deepest gloom, Sometimes where Eden's bowers bloom, By waters still, o'er troubled sea,— Still 'tis His hand that leadeth me.
- 3 Lord, I would clasp Thy hand in mine, Nor ever murmur nor repine— Content whatever lot I see, Since 'tis my God that leadeth me.
- 4 And when my task on earth is done, When, by Thy Grace the victory's won, E'en death's cold wave I will not flee, Since God through Jordan leadeth me.

No. 122. The Backslider's Prayer. Balerma. Key of A.

- I O for a closer walk with God, A calm and heavenly frame, A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb.
- 2 Where is the blessedness I knew When first I saw the Lord? Where is the soul-refreshing view Of Jesus and His word?
- 3 What peaceful hours I once enjoyed! How sweet their mem'ry still! But they have left an aching void The world can never fill.
- 4 Return, O holy Dove, return,
 Sweet messenger of rest!
 I hate the sins that made Thee mourn,
 And drove Thee from my breast.
- 5 The dearest idol I have known, Whate'er that idol be, Help me to tear it from Thy throne, And worship only Thee.

No. 123.

Song of Trust.



No. 124. Jehovah's Promise.



No. 125. Thanksgiving Hymn.

"For Thanksgiving and New Year's Service." FRANK L. ARMSTRONG. E. R. LATTA. I. Now an off-'ring of thanks-giv-ing, Gracious Lord we bring to Thee, the gen - tle Spring's a- wak ing, When the cap - tive earth was freed, 3. Time- ly rains, to earth de-scend-ing, On the need - y grass and grain, har- vest that we gath- er, Not a - lone our lips should praise: On Thy boun-ty are liv-ing King of heav'n and earth and sea. fal - low-breaking And the sow - ing of the seed! in vain, the With the ge - nial sun - shine blending, Clothed with plenty, vale and plain! heav'n-ly Fa- ther, And should serve Him, all our days! We should love our CHORUS. ad - o - ra - tion, And the thanks our spir - its feel! Thy full sal - va - tion, Un - to us Thy-self re-veal.

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No. 126. Waiting at the Yortal.

"I will come again, and receive you unto myself."-John 14: 3. K. M. REASONER. T. C. O'KANE, by per. I. I am wait - ing for the Master, Who will rise and bid me come
2. Many a wear - y path I've travelled In the dark - est storm and strife,
3. Ma - ny friends who travelled with me—Reach'd that portal long a - go, 4. Yes, their pil- grim - age was short-er, And their tri-umph soon- er won; His pres-ence, To the glad-ness Bear- ing many a heav - y bur-den, Oft- enstrug-gling for my life.

One by one have left me bat-tling With the dark and craf - ty foe.

Oh how lov - ing - ly they'll greet me When the toils of life are done my life. are done! watch ing the por - tal. watch- ing, they are wait - ing, ing at the door; Wait-ing on for my on - ly, wait-ing on - ly wait-ing, they are watching, the loved . ones gone be - fore. loved ones.

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No. 127. Joy to the World.



Be Faithful.

F. A. B. F. A. BLACKMER, by per. Yould you have the Lord in the last great day, When be - fore Him Oh, the wondrous joy that shall thrill us then, If the Judge, the But what aw - ful ter - ror shall then be felt! What re-morse shall I. Would you have the Lord in the Seek the Sav- iour, then, while He may be found, For He is you shall stand, Welcome you as He shall the "well done" say, To Righteous One, Shall be-fore His Fa - ther con-fess us there And shall seize the heart Of the poor, lost one, when the Judge that day Shall proone Who can save you now and in that great day, And can on - ly CHORUS. Hisright, hand? us "well done." He will say "well done" If you have been faithful, place at say to nounce those words "de-part." say to you "well done." Ev - er faith-ful in the ser-vice of the Lord; He will say "well done" if you have been faith-ful. Ev - er o - be - di- ent un - to His word, 100

No. 129. The Hollow of God's Hand.



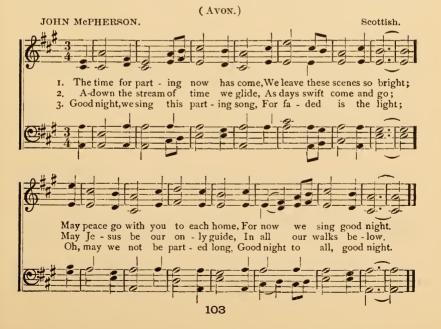


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Good Aight.



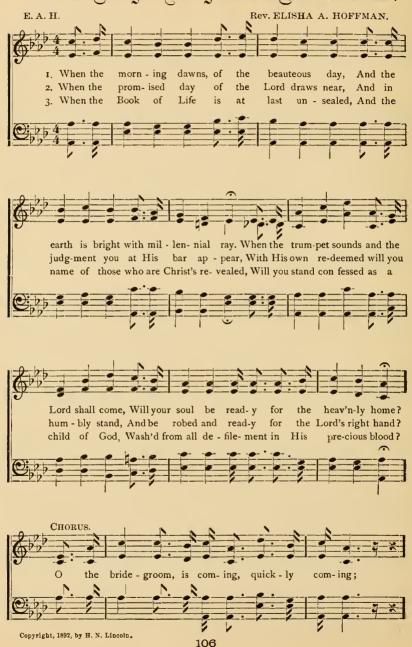
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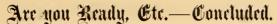


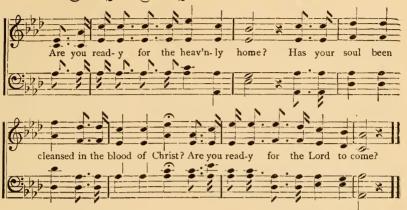
No. 133. Is My Mame Written There?



No. 134. Are you Ready for the Bord to Come?











3 Peace! O my troubled soul,
Heav'n is my nome;
I soon shall reach the goal;
Heav'n is my home;
Swiftly the race I'll run,
Vield up my crown to none:
Forward! the prize is won;

Heav'n is my home.

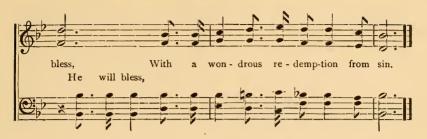
4 There, at my Saviour's side,
Heav'n is my home;
I shall be glorified;
Heav'n is my home;
There are the good and blest,
Those I loved most and best,
There, too, I soon shall rest,
Heav'n is my home.

Note:—The words "Nearer My God to Thee," No. 101, are admirably adapted to this music.

Bet Jesus In.

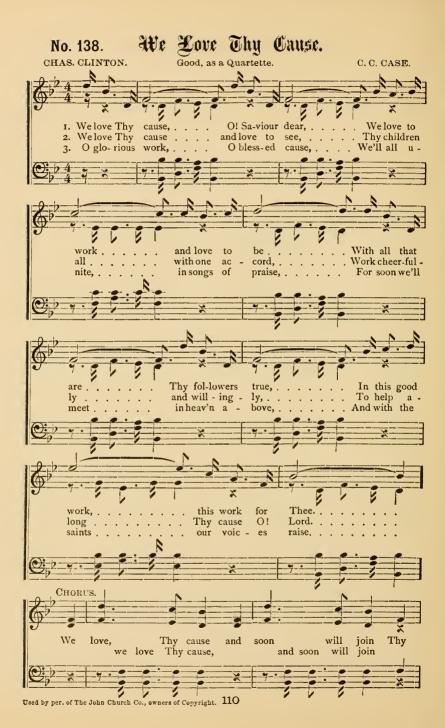


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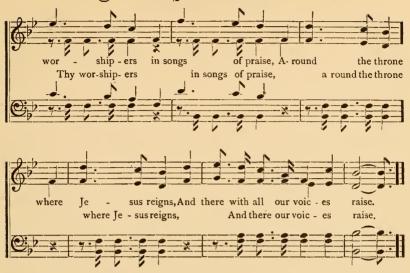


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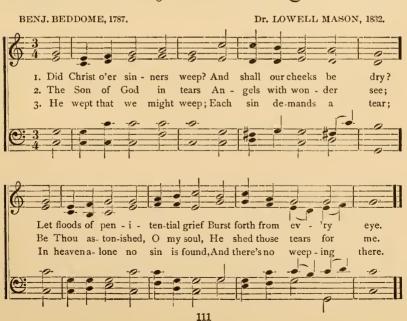




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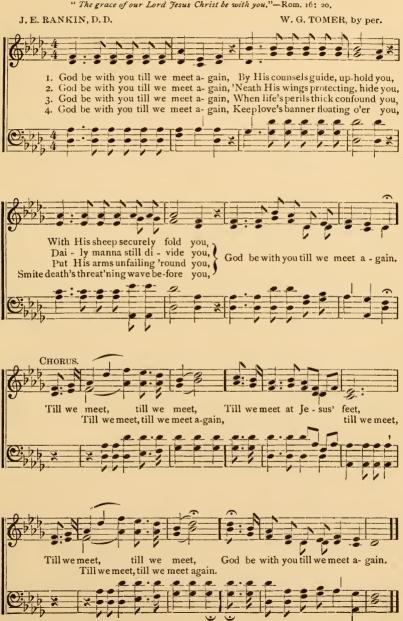


No. 140. Blessed Assurance.



God be with Hou. No. 141.

" The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you."-Rom. 16: 20,



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No. 142. Beautiful Jome.



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Beautiful Home.—Concluded.



No. 143. The Glorious Light. C. M.



No. 144. He Loves Me Tenderly.



No. 145. Look Away to Calvary.



No. 146. Come Saints and adore Him.



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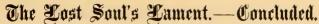
No. 147. Hield not to Temptation.

Words and Music by H. R. PALMER.



No. 148. The Bost Soul's Lament.







5 I stretch out my weak helpless hand
Far, far toward the jasper sea,
And pray one glimpse of that radiant land-

Where loving friends wait for me; [brav'd Whose kind faithful warnings, I often have But the harvest is ended and I am not sav'd.

No. 149. Welcome Evening Shadows.



No. 150. Over by the Crystal Sea.



No. 151. The Bock that is Higher than J.

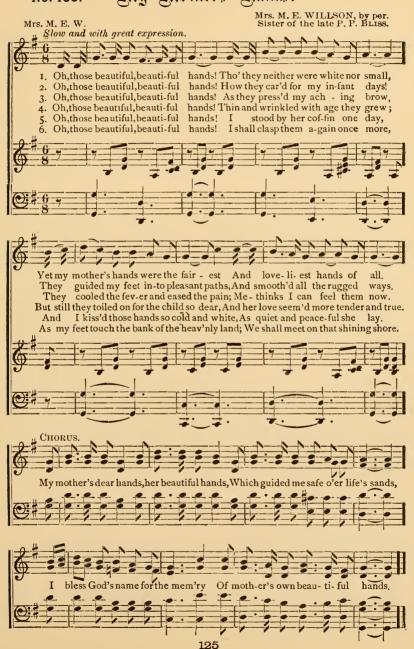


No. 152.

At the Cross.



No. 153. My Mother's Hands.



No. 154. Jesus Knows and Cares for me.

"I am the good Shepherd, I know my sheep."

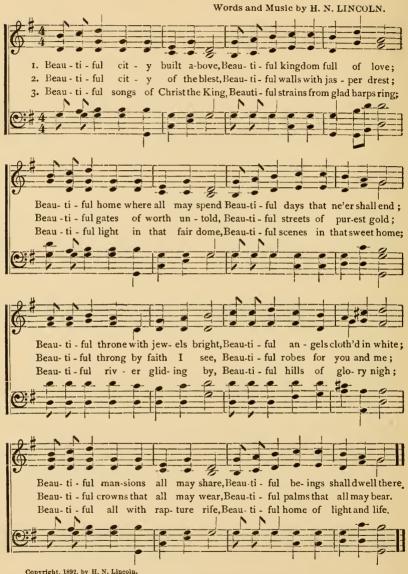


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No. 155. The Soul's bright Home.

E. H. MILLER. H. P. MONTAGUE. I. Be - youd the dark val-ley and riv- er of death, Beyond where its waters are 2. No grief in that beau-ti - ful home of the soul No sor- row can en- ter its death in that beau-ti - ful home of the soul, No sin from our Saviour to swell - ing, A bright home a - wait - eth the chil-dren of God, In por - tals; But glad are the voic-es that join in the song, The The King in His beau-ty eyes shall be - hold, And our CHORUS. mansions where saints now are dwell-ing. No the shin - ing, im-mor - tals. His prais- es for - ev - er. night in that beau-ti-ful song of join in heav - en - ly home! No shade in its glo-ry is seen; The won-der-ful of life, Flows soft thro' its meadows of green. Copyright, 1892, by H. N. Lincoln. 127

Kome So Beautiful. No. 156.



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No. 157. Grace.

I 'Tis religion that can give, Sweetest pleasure while we live. 'Tis religion must supply, Solid comforts when we die.

2 After death its joys shall be, Lasting as eternity. Be the living God, our friend Then our bliss shall never end.

No. 158. Satan the Seed is Sowing.



No. 159. The Sinless Summerland.

Arranged from J. W. WELSH. J. C. BUSHEY. am long-ing for the com-ing of the snow-white an - gel band, am wait- ing for the sig - nal that shall speak my full re-lease, amlong-ing to be go-ing, yet my Fa-ther's kind command. To the sin-less summer-land, That shall bear my wea - ry spir - it, And pre-sent my wel-come pass-port, To the realms of per-fect peace, me tar - ry 'mid the shad-ows Of the mist- v low- er land, I tread the nar - row path- way, Thro' this thorn-y vale I dream Yes, and when the wea - ry san - dals All the dust- y way have trod, When my pil-grim-age is end - ed, I shall stem the tur-bid flood, Of the joys that ev - er bright- en, Where the pearl- y wa-ters gleam. I shall sing a - mong the an - gels By the gold-en throne of God. bo - som, Of the spot-less Son of God.

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The Sinless Summerland.—Concluded.









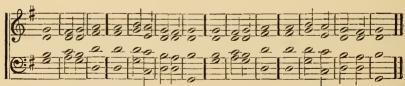
No. 160. Saviour and Friend.



No. 161.

Gloria Batri.

CHANT.



Glory be to the Father, and | to the | Son, || and | to the | Holy | Ghost. ||
As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever | shall be, || world | without |
end, A- | men.

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No. 162. Remembered by what J've done.



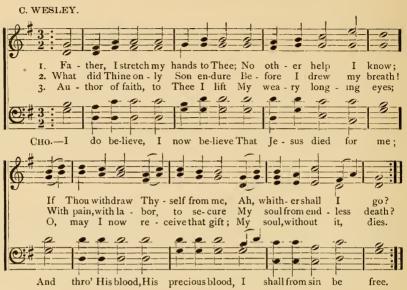
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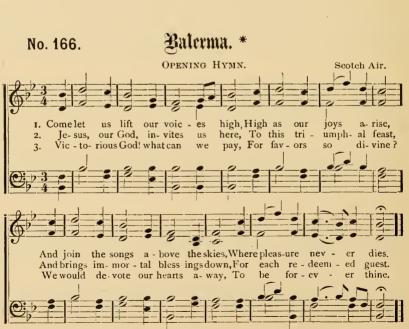


No. 164. Glory to God 'tis Jesus.



No. 165. J Do Believe. C. M.





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No. 167.

Christ is All.



No. 168. When My Life-work is done. *

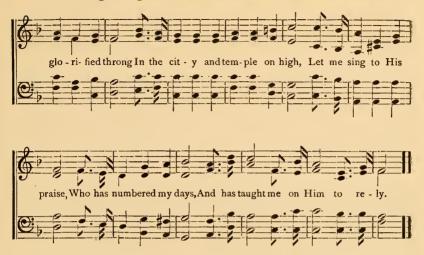


* This touching song is still more pathetic when we think of the life of the gifted author of the words.

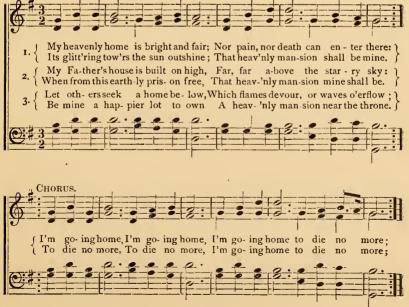
Rev. W. W. Harris was ordained at Independence, Texas in 1860, having been educated at Baylor University under Dr. R. C. Burleson. So wonderful was his eloquence and such a great orator was he, that the people called him "Spurgeon" Harris throughout the land. He devoted himself exclusively to the gospel ministry in South and West Texas, where his name was a household word. Exposure and overwork made him prematurely old, but he preached for more than a quarter of a century. Though for the last few years of his life he was an invalid, being a consumptive, yet he was faithful to the last. He died without an earthly home and away from loved ones in the far West of Texas, but he won many souls to Christ and went home to his reward, "In the city and temple on high."

I thank Prof. Bell for this beautiful music, and for preserving the words. H. N. L. 138

When My Life-work is done.—Concluded.



No. 169. My Heavenly Home. E. M.



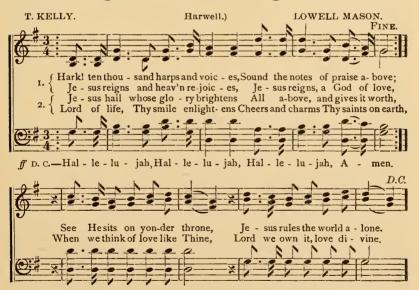
Go to Jesus.

M. S. KERBY and D. P. AIRHART. E. E. REXFORD. I. Wea - ry pil - grim go to Je-sus-Wav-'ring-ly no long - er stand, 2. Je - sus whis - pers to you soft-ly, "Let me walk with you to-day," 3. Let Himhelp you bear your bur-den; Lean up- on His of-fered arm: There's no need to tell your sorrows- He will know and un - der-stand, "See, my back was made for burdens, In my hands your troub- les lay, He will guard you as Fa-ther Keeps His lit - tle ones from harm, He will help you bear your burdens; You'll no long - er toil a - lone, Trust me free - ly-trust me ful - ly! I will lead you to the end," to Him with ev - 'ry troub-le, Take to Him On - ly love Him, on - ly trust Him, Tru - er Friend was nev - er known. This is what is whis-pered to you By the sin - ner's tru - est Friend. And He'll whis - per words of com-fort And your soul will find

Go to Jesus.—Concluded.



No. 171. Hark Ten Thousand Harps.



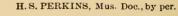
3 King of glory, reign forever,
Thine an everlasting crown;
Nothing from Thy love shall sever,
Those whom Thou hast made Thine
Happy object of thy grace,
Chosen to behold His face.

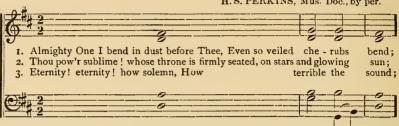
4 Saviour hasten thine appearing,
Bring O bring the glorious day;
When the awful summons hearing,
Heaven and earth shall pass away;
Then with golden harps will sing,
"Glory, glory to our King."

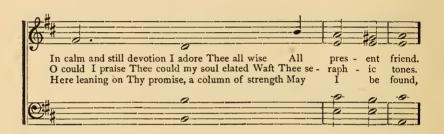
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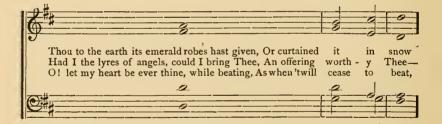
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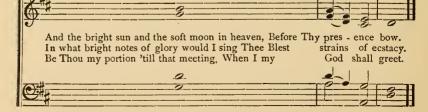
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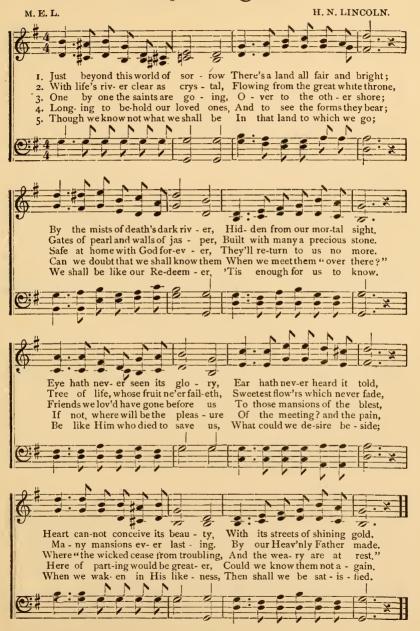








No. 173. Thoughts of Home.





No. 176. Ally Heart is in His Keeping.



No. 177. Crown, Harp and Song.

Words and music written at Kansas City, Mo., April 1888, F. A. BLACKMER. H. N. LINCOLN. Moderato. each du - ty here, I would fight and nev - er fear, 2. I would fol - low Je - sus now, At His feet would hum- bly bow,
3. To the Fa - ther and the Son, Who such wondrous things have done, And the cross would meek-ly bear; And when past these scenes of strife, Nev - er seek - ing earth - ly fame; And with Him I soon shall stand, andruin - ed race; I would sing thro' end- less days, a lost shall then a crown of life, With the ran-somedev - er wear. With a harp with- in my hand, Harp- ing prais - es to His name. Songs of ev - er-last - ing praise, For the gift of sav - ing grace. CHORUS. a gold - en harp to bear, to wear, When All the might - y ran- som'd throng, be-fore the great Am. Copyright, 1888, by Lincoln & Blackmer.

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No. 178. The Complete Surrender. (Chant.)



No. 179. What Christ has Done for Me.



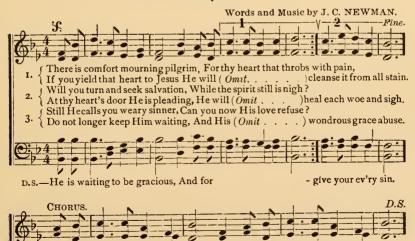
What Christ has Done for Me. Concluded.





No. 180. The Gospel Call.

Will you give your heart to



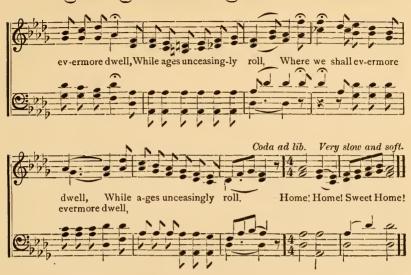
Je - sus? He will make you pure with - in,

No. 181. The New "Home Sweet Home."

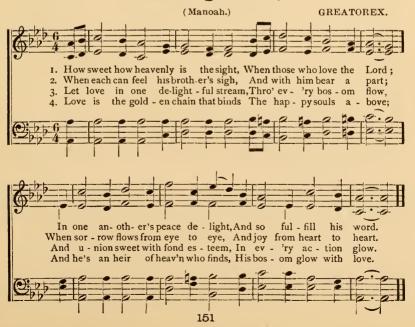
Words and Music by W. A. HALL.



The New "Home Sweet Home."—Concluded.



No. 182. Christian Hellowship.



Jesus Master.

Words and Music by CHAS. H. GABRIEL. SOP. SOLO. Andante con expressione I. O'er life's dark and troub-led sea, Je - sus Mas-ter, 2. Storms are rag-ing wild and free, O my Sav-iour, pi - lot me! Organ. Where the rest - less bil - lows roll O - ver hid - den rock and shoal. Clouds and dark - ness hide the sky, Un - seen dan - gers hov - er nigh, QUARTETT. With its winds and waves unknown, I go can nev shall cross the tide, if Thou wilt be my guide, Safe - ly D.C. 2d Stanza. Je - sus Mas - ter, Je - sus Mas - ter, Je - sus Mas-ter, pi - lot me. Je - sus Mas - ter, Je - sus Mas - ter, Je - sus Mas - ter, pi - lot me.

Jesus Master.—Concluded.



No. 185. Hear Ye the Promise.





No. 187.

Bain on the Boof.

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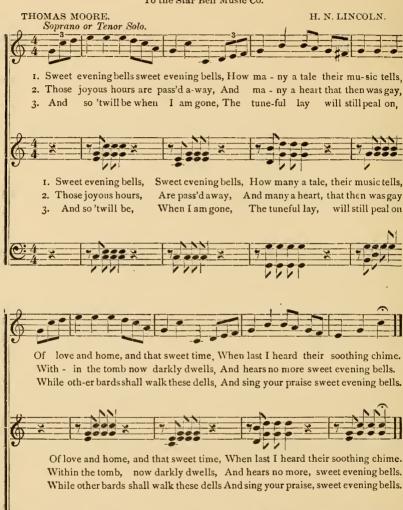
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Rain on the Roof. Concluded.



No. 188. Sweet Evening Bells.

To the Star Bell Music Co.



No. 189. Christmas Bells.

O Christmas bells! glad Christmas bells,
A message sweet your music tells,

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Of peace and love, good-will on earth, To consecrate the Saviour's birth. 2 Ring, Christmas bells your anthem song, Let echoes far the strain prolong; By word of prayer and note of praise, We celebrate this day of days.

No. 190. Star of the Twilight.



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No. 191. Away to My Mountain Home.



This song is also published in sheet form by the Author, Dallas, Texas.

It has a charming Accompaniment. Price, 25 cts.

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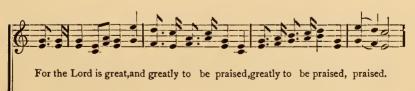
No. 192. Ø Sing Unto The Lord.

An especial contribution to this work.

F. M. DAVIS.







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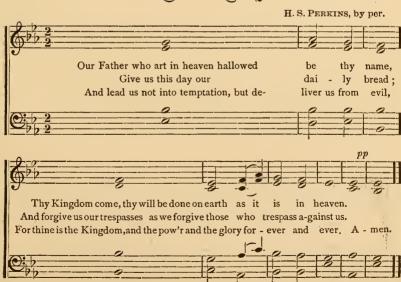


O Sing Unto The Lord.—Concludea.





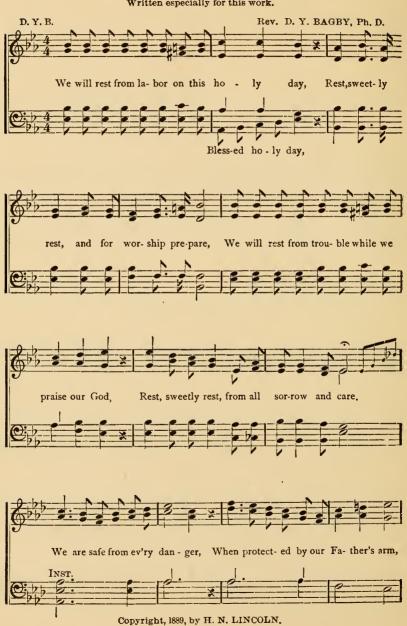
No. 193. The **Tord's Prayer**.



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No. 194. We will Best from Zabor.

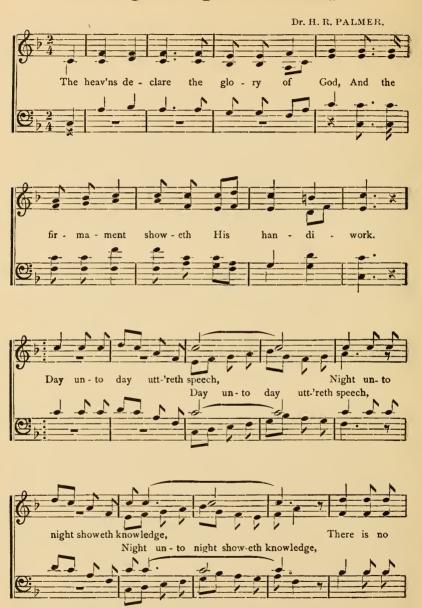
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We will Rest from Labor.—Concluded.



No. 195. The Heavens Declare the Glory.



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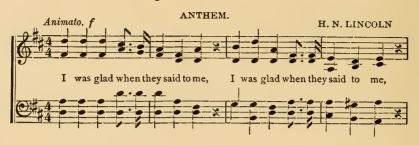




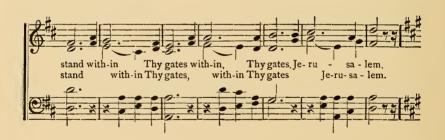


No. 196.

J Was Glad.











No. 197. Trust He in the Mighty God.







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Trust Je in the Mighty God.—Continued.



Trust Je in the Mighty God.—Concluded.



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INTRODUCTORY.

CHAPTER I.

- Note 1. Ex. stands for exercise, def. for definition, Ill, for illustration, sug. for suggestion, prin. for principle, obs. for observation.
 - Sug. 1. Begin by singing the following, and whatever you sing, always think it.
 - Ex. 1. One, Two, One, Two, One, Two, One.
 Do, Re, Do, Re, Do, Re, Do.

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- Ex. 2. One, Two, Three, Two, One, Two, Three, Two, One.

 Do, Re, Mi, Re, Do, Re, Mi, Re, Do.
- Ex. 3. One, Two, Three, Four, Three, Two, One, (repeat this)
 Do, Re, Mi, Fa, Mi, Re, Do, (repeat this)
- Ex. 4. One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Four, Three, Two, One, (repeat)

 Do, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, Fa, Mi, Re, Do, (repeat)
- Ex. 5. One, Two, Three, Four, Five, Six, Seven, Eight.

 Do, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, La, Si, Do.
- Ex. 6. Eight, Seven, Six, Five, Four, Three, Two, One.
 Do, Si, La, Sol, Fa, Mi, Re, Do.

- Note 2. Ex. 5, is the Scale ascending. Ex. 6, the Scale descending. (Sing them often.)
- Def. 1. A Scale is a series of tones, each member differing from the other in pitch.
- Note 3. Between the first and second, second and third, fourth and fifth, fifth and sixth, and sixth and seventh, members of the Scale we have just sung, (Exs. 5 and 6), there are full steps, large seconds.
- Note 4. Between the third and fourth, and seventh and eighth members of it are short steps (small seconds).



- Note 5. The above is called the musical ladder, showing the full steps and the short steps in the Diatonic Major Scale.
- Sug. 2. Sing the Scale ascending and descending, several times from Ill. 1. first slow, then faster, then lively.
- Sug. 3. Now sing from Ill. 1, the following, several times each, first think of the tone you are going to sing and then sing it.
- Ex. 7. One, Three, Five, Eight, Eight, Five, Three, One.

 Do, Mi, Sol, Do, Do, Sol, Mi, Do.
- Ex. 8. One, Four, Six, Eight, Eight, Six, Four, One. Do, Fa, La, Do, Do, La, Fa, Do.
- Ex. 9. Two, Four, Five, Seven, Seven, Five, Four, Two. Re, Fa, Sol, Si, Si, Sol, Fa, Re.
- Note 6.—The dash will imply that a question is to be asked and answered by the pupil.
- Obs. 1. Sound is anything audible—. A tone is a musical sound—. Melody is a succession of tones—. Harmony is a combination of tones—. Music consists of melody or a combination of melodies, or of harmony or a succession of harmonies—. The properties of tone are pitch, a degree of highness or lowness, length, a degree of longness or shortness of duration. Power, a degree of loudness or softness—. These divide musical Science unto three departments, respectively Melodics, Rhythmics and Dynamics—. Musical notation is the art of reading music, by means of characters, signs, symbols, abbreviations, etc.—

Note 7. Pitch, length and power are the three essential properties of a tone, but there is a fourth property that every tone has, quality. It may here be stated that the character of the words indicate the quality of the tone, sad words, sombre quality, gay, lively words, clear quality. There are as many different qualities as there are emotions of the heart.

CHAPTER II.

STAFF, NOTES, RESTS, etc.

Obs. 2. The staff consists of five long parallel lines and the four spaces between them—. Each line and each space is called a degree of the staff—. Added degrees are short lines and their spaces above and below the staff—.

1st line above.--5th line.-9th degree. 4th space. 8th degree. 7th degree. -4th line.-3rd space. 6th degree. 5th degree. Ill. 2. The staff. -3rd line. 2nd space. 4th degree. 3rd degree. -2nd line.-1st space. 2nd degree. -1st line.--1st degree. 1st space below.

Obs. 3. Notes represent relative length of duration of tones—. Rests are marks of silence corresponding in length of duration to the note from which they are named—. One dot after a note or rest, adds one half of its length to it and changes the name of the note or rest to three of the next lower denomination—. Two dots after a note or rest adds three-fourths of its length to it and changes the name of it to seven of the second lower denomination—.

III. 3. The following shows all the notes and rests in use in vocal music.

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| Thirty second note. | Three thirty-second note, Three thirty-second rest. | Seven thirty-second note. Seven thirty-second rest. |
| Half note. Charter note. Eighth note. Sixteenth note. Half rest. Quarter rest. 7 Eighth rest. 3 Sixteenth rest. | Three sixteenth note. | Seven sixteenth note. Seven sixteenth rest. |
| Eighth note. | Three eighth note. | Seven eighth note. |
| Charter note. | Three quarter note. Three eighth note. Three eighth note. Three eighth rest. Three eighth rest. | O. Seven quarter note. Seven quarter rest. |
| Half note. | O Three half note. Three half rest. | |
| Whole note. Whole rest. | | |

CHAPTER III.

SCALE AND STAFF.

- Prin. 1. When the Diatonic Scale is placed on the staff, each member of it assumes a degree of the staff, and all melodies are simply the scale or the scale with skips and variations. When one or more members of the scale are skipped, it is shown on the staff by skipping just as many degrees of the staff.
- Prin. 2. Any degree of the staff may represent any member of the scale, but when the position of Do (Key note) is established, all of the other members of the scale, must take their respective places.

| Ill. 4. | | | | | | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0- |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|----------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|
| | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0- | | | | | | |
| Ex. 10. | Do, | Re, | Mi, | Fa, | Sol, | La, | Si, | Do. | | | |
| Ex. 11. | | | Do, | Re, | Mi, | Fa, | Sol, | La, | Si, | Do. | |
| Ex. 12. (a | a) | | | Do, | Re, | Mi, | Fa, | Sol, | La, | Si, | Do. |
| Ex. 12. (t | | | | | | | | | Do. | | |

Sug. 4. Sing the above exercises ascending and descending. Starting Ex. 10 on the pitch of the ordinary speaking voice and preserve the correct pitch in each Ex.

NOTE READING RULES.

When Do is on a line, Mi is on the next line, and Sol the next line, above it. When Do is in a space, Mi is in the next space, and Sol the next, above it, When Sol is on a line, upper Do is on the second space, above it. When Sol is in a space, upper Do is on the second line, above it.

The same rule applies to Re, Fa, La and upper Re. " Mi, Sol, Si and upper Mi. 44 44 44 46 " Fa, La, Do and upper Fa. 46 66 " 44 " Sol, Si, Re and upper Sol. 66 66 66 66 " La, Do, Mi and upper La, 66 44 44 66 " Si, Re, Fa and upper Si.

| III. 5. | | | | 0 | | | | 0 | | | | 0 | | | 0 | 0 |
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| Ex. 13. | \mathbf{D}_0 | Mi | Sol | Do | Do | Mi | Sol | Do | Do | Mi | Sol | Do | Do | Mi | Sol | Si |
| Ex. 14. | Re | Fa | La | Re | Re | Fa | La | Re | Re | Fa | La | Re | Re | Fa | La | Do |
| Ex. 15. | Mi | Sol | Si | Mi | Mi | Sol | Si | Mi | Mi | Sol | Si | Mi | Mi | Sol | Si | Re |
| Ex. 16. | Fa | La | Do | Fa | Fa | La | Do | Fa | Fa | La | Do | Fa | Fa | La | Do | Mi |
| Ex. 17. | Sol | Si | Re | Sol | Sol | Si | Re | Sol | Sol | Si | Re | Sol | Sol | Si | Re | Fa |
| Ex. 18. | La | Do | Mi | La | La | Do | Mi | La | La | Do | Mi | La | La | Do | Mi | Sol |
| Ex. 19. | Si | Re | Fa | Si | Si | Re | Fa | Si | Si | Re | Fa | Si | Si | Re | Fa | La |

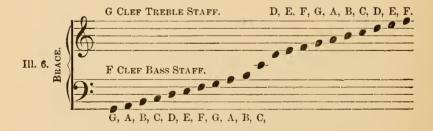
Sug. 5. Sing the above Exs., ascending and descending. Learn the musical effect of each interval as you sing.

CHAPTER IV.

THE LETTERED STAFF.

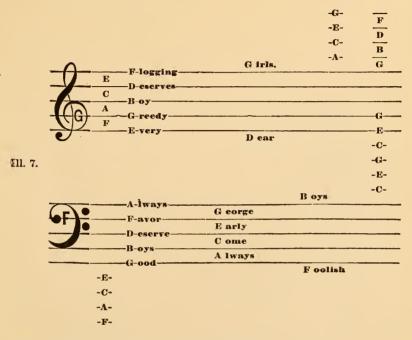
Obs. 4. Tones are named by the first seven letters of the alphabet—. Clefs determine the position of the letters on the staff—.

The brace connects stayes—.



Sug. 6. Sing from the Treble Staff, calling the added line below Do and sing the scale ascending and descending, first the syllables, then numerals, then the letters, also in the same way from the Bass staff, calling the second space Do. Think as you sing.

The following will aid the pupil in getting and remembering the position of the letters on the staves.



Sug. 7. The pupil should learn the above thoroughly.

CHAPTER V.

MEASURE, BEAT-NOTE.

Obs. 5. In music there are regularly recurring groups of strong (accented) and weak (unaccented) sensations; (somewhat like the beating of the pulse) these groups are called measures—.

There are two classes of measures, one in which an accented pulse is followed by an unaccented one; the other in which an accented pulse is followed by two unaccented ones—. Each pulse whether accented or unaccented is called one part of the measure, and measures may have as many parts as there are multiples of the figures two and three, but twelve

parts are as many as we ordinarily use—. A beat is a motion of the hand—. Figures on the fourth line of the staff show into how many parts the measure is divided—. Figures on the second line of the staff indicate the kind of note that is one part of a measure—.

- III. 8. indicates two part measure which is beaten 1st part down, 2nd part up—. See Nos. 8, 14 and 91, of this book.
- Note 8. The part marked thus (>) is the accented part.
 - III.. ; indicates three part measure which is beaten, 1st part down, 2nd part left, 3rd part up—. See Nos. 5, 9, 27, 82.
- Ill. 10. indicates four part measure, which is beaten, 1st part down, 2nd part left, 3rd part right, 4th part up—. See Nos. 2, 7, 10,
- III. 11. indicates six part measure, which is beaten, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd parts down, 4th, 5th, and 6th parts up—. See Nos. 11, 18, 34 etc.
- III. 12. indicates nine part measure, which is beaten, 1st, 2nd and 3rd parts down, 4th, 5th, and 6th parts left, 7th, 8th and 9th parts up—. See Nos. 13, 128 etc.
- Ill. 13. indicates twelve part measure, which is beaten, 1st, 2nd and 3rd parts down, 4th, 5th and 6th parts left, 7th, 8th and 9th parts right, 10th, 11th and 12th parts up—. See Nos. 12, 16 etc.
- Ill. 14. indicates that a half-note or its value is one part of the measure—.
- Ill. 15. indicates that a quarter-note or its value is one part of the measure—.
- Ill. 16. indicates that an eight-note or its value is one part of the measure—.
- Sug. 8. Practice beating the different measures observing the accent carefully.
- Obs. 6. A measure is shown to the eye by the distance from one measure bar (which is a light bar drawn across the staff) to the next one—. A section bar (a heavy bar) shows the end of a musical phrase—. A close bar (two heavy bars) shows the end of the piece of music—.

CHAPTER VI.

KEYS, SHARPS, FLATS etc.

- Def. 2. A key is a family of tones bearing a certain fixed relation to each other—. There are twelve major keys. (See preface page).
- Obs. 7. Place a sharp (#) on any degree of the musical staff and it introduces a tone that is a short step higher. Place a double sharp (*) on a degree already affected by a sharp and it introduces a tone that is still a short step higher. Place a flat (2) on any degree of the staff and it introduces a tone that is a short step lower. Place a double flat (b) on a degree of the staff already affected by a flat and it introduces a tone that is still a short step lower—. A natural (2) counteracts the effect of a sharp, double sharp, flat and double flat-. Sharps, flats, double sharps, double flats and naturals, introduced temporarily in a key are called accidentals or Chromatics, their effect continues through the measure in which they occur unless counteracted by the *cancel before the measure is completed—. Sharps and flats placed just at the right of the clef are called signatures, (sign of the key) their effects continues through the piece unless counteracted by a new signature or by accidentals—. When a piece of music starts in one key and changes to another, it is called a modulation—. The model scale is the C major scale and when any other pitch is one of the major scale, it is called a transposition, that is the scale changes its place on the staff—. When the scale is transposed, it requires one sharp or more, or one flat or more to make the intervals agree with those in the model scale. (See notes three and four, and Illustration 1—). Pitches that are a full step apart admit of an intermediate tone between them-. The chromatic scale consists of the diatonic scale with its intermediate tones—. The tendency of a sharp is upward, and of a flat downward; so the chromatic scale ascending is introduced by sharps, or sharps in effect, descending by flats, or flats in effect—.

^{*} Some theorists object to the term, natural and suggest, cancel in its stead; but the writer holds that a natural is not the only character that cancels, for example, see page 122 of this book Illustration 17. the last note (la), in the key of Do, (the 2d and fifth keys in the Illustration), and in the key of A, (the 3rd and 6th keys of the Illustration).

The pupil should write the chromatic scale in every key, also sing it and think of each tone as you sing.

Si, Do, Si, Se, La, Le, Sol, Sc, Fa, Mi, Me, Re, Ra, Do. CHROMATIC SCALE DESCENDING. Re, Ri, Mi, Fa, Fi, Sol, Si, La, Li, Ill. 16. CHROMATIC SCALE ASCENDING. Do, Di, Letters. C, Syllables. Numerals.

La Le La, Key DZ. La Le La, Key C. Key A. Key Db. Key C.

A sharp or flat may be placed on any degree that is not affected by a sharp or flat; a double sharp, on a degree that is affected by one sharp; a double flat, on a degree that is affected by one flat; a natural, on a degree that is affected by a sharp, flat, double sharp or double flat.— A natural, when placed on a sharp degree, has the effect of a flat; on a flat degree, the effect of a sharp; on a double sharp degree, the effect of a double flat; on a double flat degree, the effect of a double sharp— Note 9.

Sug. 9.

CHAPTER VII.

MINOR SCALES.

Obs. 8. Six of every major key or scale is one of every minor scale or key—. The intervals of the minor scale are different from the major and there are two forms of minor, harmonic and melodic—.

HARMONIC MINOR.



MELODIC MINOR.



Sug. 10. The pupil should write both forms of the minor scale in every key also sing them. See Exs. 21 and 22, and Ills. 18 and 19.

CHAPTER VIII.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Obs. 9. Dots before a bar, thus: important or enter the preceeding passage, after a bar, thus: important or enter the following passage, when dots before the bar are accompanied with the figures 1 and 2 or 1st time,

and second time, the music under 1 or 1st time is omitted when you repeat, thus:



Obs. 10. Repeat Da Capo al la Fine, means repeat from the beginning to the word Fine (pronounced Fee-nay) generally abbreviated (D. C).—Repeat Dal Segno al la Fine, means repeat from the sign (1) to Fine, generally abbreviated by (D. S.)-A heavy bar shows the end of a phrase or line of poetry.—Two heavy bars shows the end of the piece of music.—All the parts that move across the page once make a score.—When notes are to be performed in a shorter duration than the length that the note represents, it is indicated by staccato (•) one fourth of the length, and marcato (•) one half the length.—Legato means flowing.—A Tie connects notes on the same degree of the staff that are sung to one syllable, only the first note of a tie is pronounced, dwelling on it the length of all-. A slur connects notes on different degrees of the staff that are sung to one syllable, also a sign of legato -. A triplet is a group of three notes of equal length (or their value) to be performed in the time of two, indicated by 3, over or under the group—. A prolong () placed under or over a note or rest shows that it may be prolonged at the pleasure of the leader. -

CHAPTER IX.

Powers, etc.

POWER.

MOVEMENTS.

Grave (Grah-vay) signifies the slowest movement—, Adagio (Ah-dah-zhe, o) very slow—.

Andante (Ahn dahn, ta) slow—.

Andantino (te no) not so slow as Andante—.

Lento, slowly—.

Moderate (rah) moderately—.

Vivace (ve vah tchay) lively—.

Allegretito, fast—.

Allegretito, faster than Allegro—.

Prestis, quick—.

Prestissimo, extremely quick—.

Ritardo, gradually slower and slower.

Accelerando, (shel) (rahn) faster and faster.

A Tempo, back to the original movement.

Movements are best indicated by metronomical figures placed over the beginning thus: $|=60 \text{ or }|^2 = 90$, meaning that the metronome (au instrument constructed to mark time), is to be adjusted to the figure 60 or 90, as the case may be and that a $|=0 \text{ or }|^2$ is to be performed in the time of one stroke of the instrument.

STYLES.

Cantabile (cann-tan bee lay) in a graceful elegant style. Con Espressione (se-o-nay) with expression. Con Energia, with energy.

Dolce (dol-chay) soft and sweet.

Maestoso, majestically.

Obligato, indescensable, etc.

CHAPTER X.

VOCAL APPARATUS, TONE PRODUCTIONS.

First the air is breathed into the *lungs*, two sponge like substances composed of cells, which being filled and emptied with air cause the lungs to expand and depress.

The lungs are lowered and raised by two muscles abdominal and intercostal.

The air proceeds from the lungs up through the windpipe or trachea to the tarynx which contains the vocal chords and glottis. (The outer part of the larynx is the "Adam's Apple;") then to the pharynx, (which may be seen above the tongue far back in the throat,) thence to the mouth.

The vocal chords are put in motion by the air from the lungs; by making a certain tension of these chords the pitch of a tone is made; the glottis opens, and lets out this tone and closes, and shuts it off. It passes through the glottis to the pharynx, where it receives it musical quality, thence to the mouth, where by the use of the tongue, the palate, the teeth and the lips, it is formed into a pure vocal tone. To produce a good tone, the singer should observe the following things:

An erect position of the body with the chest well thrown back, good breathing power and management of the breath, good articulation, good formation of the vowel and consonant elements in each word or syllable, correct phrasing (which means a proper division of words and the syllables of a word by the breath) i, e, not taking breath between closely connected words and never hetween the syllables of a word, and a good delivery of the voice, which is attained by opening the mouth well and keeping the tongue in a natural position.

CHAPTER XI.

EXERCISES FOR ACQUIRING VOCAL STRENGTH.

For Daily Practice.

FIRST. Position, standing—body erect. Place the hands upon the pit of the stomach and press in with the fingers, followed by a vigorous expansion and depression of the chest. First, without reference to breathing; second accompanied with breath, being sure to inhale the air with the expansion, and exhale with the depression.

SECOND. Place one hand upon the upper part of the chest, and the other over the diaphragm; raise and depress the chest with vigor, assisting the movement with the hands, after which, first inhale and exhale quickly. Second, inhale slowly and exhale quickly. Third, inhale quickly, and exhale slowly. Fourth, inhale slowly, and exhale slowly.

Note 1. The above are taken from Dr. H. S. Perkins' Vocal Exercises by permission.

Always inhale through the nostrils and exhale through the lips. Avoid using too much breath in singing. A good test is to sing with a lighted candle near the mouth; if the flame wavers, too much breath is used. There should be a steady pressure of the diaphragm during exhalation and tone-production.

VOWEL SOUNDS AND PRONUNCIATION. The principal vowel sounds used for vocalizing are E, A, O, Ah. The principal syllables are He, Ha, Ho, Hah; See, Sea, Seo, Seah, also the Italian syllables of the diatonic scale, Do, Re, Mi, Fa, Sol, La, Si. Do.

Great care should be taken in forming the consonant elements, and at the end of syllables or words to avoid blending them with the next syllable or word, as liftup, for lift up, swee-tome, for sweet home. Be sure to bring out the proper vowel sound in every word and avoid the vanishing sound of the vowel, as by ee, and byee for by and by. Happy dayee, for happy day, etc. Roll the r before a vowel. Suppress the hissing sound of s, ss and z and c (soft.) Are there any such words as worshup, pilgrum, comfert, writtun, garmunts?, etc.—we hear them often in singing. In such words as listen, hasten, often, etc., the t is silent. In such words as again, mountain, fountain, etc., the a is silent. The before words beginning with a consonant element should be pronounced like the, in never-the-less, or give the e the sound of u in put (thu). The before words beginning with a vowel sound, give the e the sound of e in be The indefinite article a should always have the sound of u in up. A-men is pronounced ahmen.

Note 2. The above are a few hints on pronunciation and word formation.

Consonant element of the letter p, labial (with lips) p, p, p, p, then pe, pa, po, pah, peep, pape, pope, pope. Second. On the same plan produce the element of f—semilabial (with lower lip and upper teeth), f, f, f, fee, fay, foe, fah. Third. On the same plan produce the element in each of the following—linguals (with tongue), t, l, r, k; t, t, t, t, ea, tay, toe, tah; l, l, l, lea, lay, low, lah; r, r, r, re, ray, roe, rah; k, k, k, key, quay, coe, cah. Fourth. Produce on the same plan the element of each of the following laryngeals (strictly in the larynx) with the throat shut as in the act of swallowing, b, d, g, v, after which pronounce the names of each letter with extremely great force.

Phonetic Spelling. Spell the following words by element, pronounce very clearly and distinctly. Blame (illustration) b-l-a-m, black, clip, dart, fan, glide, land, mark, not, plant, scamp, task, etc.

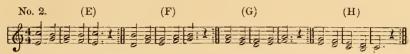
Note 3. The above exercises may be practiced by classes ensemble or individually. A part of the first ten lessons in vocalization should be spent in such work.

First practice exercises 1-9, pages 173-174.

VOCAL EXERCISES. Practice carefully, repeat each exercise ten times.



Sing the syllables of No. 1. till the tones become familiar, then sing one of each of the vowels, a.e. o, ah, to each exercise; then he, ha, ho, hah; see, sea, seo, seah,

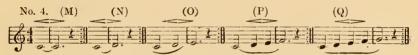


Repeat each exercise of No. 2 (both parts) several times by syllables, vowels, etc., observing the same expressions as in No. 1.



(3) o, ah, e, a, ah, e, a, o, e, a, o, ah, a, o, ah, e, o . . . (4) ah, e, a, o, e, a, o, ah, a, o, ah, e, o, ah, e, a, ah . . .

Sing see, sea, seo, seah; he, ha, ho, hah, to No. 3, then repeat it a fourth higher i. e., take C for the first tone, sing down to G, then back to C. The pupil should practice this till it can be sung very quick.



Sing the scale one octave (eight exercises) ascending and descending on the plan of each example above, using all the vowels with and without sc, and h. This is a long lesson.



Sing through an octave (eight exercises) the scale ascending on the plan of the example under exercise, repeat many times using the syllables and all the above vowels with and without sc and h. First without slurring, then slur the notes in groups of twos, then fours, then eights. Develop exercises s and n into eight exercises through one octave, the scale ascending—exercises t and v the same descending.



After singing from the example given of exercise w as indicated and using the four vowels with and without sc and h—sing from re to re on the same plan and in the same way, then from mi to mi, fa to fa, sol to sol. Exercises x, y, and z should be carefully practiced in every movement from grave to prestissimo. See page 185. Also practice the chromatic scale in all the keys. See page 182. Any or all the above exercises may be sung in several keys.

THE ELEMENTS OF HARMONY.

Harmony is a combination of tones. An interval is the difference in pitch between two tones. An interval is named by the number of degrees of the staff it involves, thus—

An interval that involves two degrees of the staff, is called a second.

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|----|-----|----|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|----------|
| 44 | 64 | 44 | 66 | four | 66 | 66 | 4.6 | 66 | 66 | 66 | 40 | fourth. |
| 84 | 6.6 | 44 | 66 | five | " | 66 | 66 | 44 | 66 | 44 | 44 | fifth. |
| 44 | 44 | 66 | 6.6 | six | 66 | 64 | " | £4 | 66 | 66 | 66 | sixth. |
| 44 | 64 | 44 | 44 | seven | 66 | 6.6 | 64 | 66 | 6.6 | 66 | 66 | seventh. |
| 44 | 66 | 44 | 66 | eight | 66 | 46 | +6 | 44 | 44 | 66 | 66 | octave. |

Each of the above intervals are also classified with regard to size (kind of steps.)

Seconds; minor (1 short step), major (1 full step) and augmented (1 full and short step.)

Thirds; diminished (2 short steps), minor (1 full and 1 short step) and major (2 full steps.)

Fourths; diminished (1 full and 2 short) perfect (2 full and 1 short) and augmented (3 full steps.)

Fifths; diminished (2 short and 2 full.) perfect (3 full and 1 short) and augmented (4 full steps).

Sixths; minor (3 full and 2 short,) major (4 full and 1 short) and augmented (5 full steps.)

Sevenths; diminished (3 full and 3 short), minor (4 full and 2 short) and major (5 full and 1 short.)

Octaves; diminished (4 full steps and 3 short steps) and perfect (5 full steps and 2 short steps.)

Note 1. A primo (improperly called prime) is two tones on the same degree of the staff. There are two kinds of primos; the unison, which is two tones of the same pitch but intended for two voices (or more) or two instruments—and the chromatic, which is two tones of the smallest difference in pitch (same as minor second) on the same degree of the staff.

An interval is said to be inverted when the lower of the two tones is removed upward to its octave, or when the upper of the two tones is removed downward to its octave. To find the number of degrees an interval when inverted, involves—subtract the number of degrees involved in that interval—from nine. Also a diminished interval, when inverted, becomes augmented and visa-versa; a major interval, when inverted, becomes minor and visa-versa; a perfect interval when inverted, remains perfect.

Note 2. For convenience we use the following signs; — for a diminished interval, — minor, + major, perfect 0, augmented ++, u for unison, ch for chromatic. Primos are u and ch. Seconds are --+ ++. Thirds are — --+. Fourths are = 0 ++. Fifths are = 0 ++. Sixths are --++.

The pupil must know the order of the sharps and flats in the different keys. Learn to write the chromatic scale in every key, too before going further.

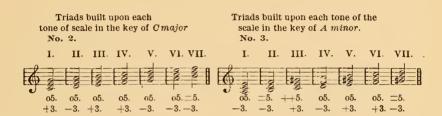
Note 3. In the following example each interval is considered a different exercise hence the sharps and flats in one measure have no effect in the next.



Write out the above in the twelve major keys being careful to make allowance for the sharps and flats in the signature.

A chord is two or more tones heard together. A chord composed of three tones 1.3.5 is called a triad, or common chord. The intervals of a triad are a third and fifth, reckoning from the lowest. The lowest tone of a triad is called the base or fundamental. A triad whose third is minor and the fifth perfect is a minor chord. If the third is major and the fifth perfect, the chord is major. If the third is major and the fifth augmented, the chord is augmented. If the third is minor, and the fifth diminished, the chord is diminished. When the base has one or the lowest tone of a triad, it is said to be in its fundamental position, or direct form.

One of the key is tonic marked for convenience I. Two of the key is super-tonic marked II. Three of the key is mediant marked III. Four of the key is sub-dominant marked IV. Five of the key is dominant marked V. Six of the key is sub-mediant marked VI. Seven, of the key is sub-tonic marked VII. In the major keys, the triads of I. IV. V are major, of II, III. VI are minor. of VII is diminished. In the minor keys, the triads of V, VI are major, of I, IV are minor. of II, VII are diminished. of III is augmented.



Write the triads in all the major and minor keys and indicate the intervals by the signs. A chord is inverted, when the base takes any other tone than the fundamental. When the base takes the third it is the first inversion. When the base takes the fifth it is the second inversion. The first inversion is a chord of the third and sixth marked $\frac{G}{4}$ abbreviated G. The second inversion is a chord of the sixth and fourth marked $\frac{G}{4}$.

Chords of the sixth in C major. Chords of the sixth and fourth in C major.

No. 4.



Write out all the above in the major and minor keys and figure them and indicate the interval by the sign.

When the figures are omitted in thorough bass it is understood that the chord is to be in its fundamental position, or the same as though it were figured $\frac{5}{2}$.

Write the other two notes to the following bass and make the triad complete.



To the triad add the fundamental in one of the upper voices, and we have four parts. This is called doubling the part, using the same letter twice. When the bass has the fifth, some other part may have that letter, when the bass has the third, do not use the same letter in any other part, but double the first or fifth in preference. Now copy the above (No. 6) on the bass staff and add the three other parts, being careful to make the parts move in oblique or contrary motion.

MUSICAL SIFTINGS.

Note I. Teachers who use this catechism should give examples bearing on each question after it is answered and require the pupil to do so.

- 1. What is a Sound?

 Anything audible.
- What is a Tone?
 A musical sound.

 What is a Melody?
- A succession of tones.
 4. What is Harmony?
- A combination of tones.5. What is Music?Melody or harmony or both.
- 6. What are the Properties of a tone? Pitch, Length, Power and Quality.
- 7. What is Musical Notation?

 The art of expressing music, by means of characters, etc.
- 8. How many Departments in musical theory?

 Three. Melodics, Rhythmics and Dyn-
- 9. What is an Interval?

 The difference in pitch between two tones.
- 10. What is a Scale?

amics.

A series of tones, from ONE to EIGHT, each differing from the other in pitch.

NOTE 2. Turn now to illustration I. page 174, and learn the intervals of the diatonic major scale.

After dwelling on the above questions and answers a sufficient length of time the teacher or leader should give a lesson on Chapter I. of the elementary instructions in this book, being sure to do each exercise thoroughly, and for a review of the above, go through with obs I, as indicated there.

11. What is a musical Staff?

Five long, parallel, horizontal lines and their spaces. See Chapter IV.

- 12. What is a Degree of the staff?

 A line or a space.
- 13. What are Notes?

 Characters used to represent the relative length of tones.

14. What are Rests?

Characters to indicate silence during a part of the musical performance.

Note 3. Refer to Chapter II, on staff, notes, rests, etc, study the single and double dot; and especially, illustration 3, page 176, also Chapter III, for note reading principles.

15. How are Tones named?

By the names of the first letters of the alphabet, A, B, C, D, E, F, G.

16. What is a Clef?

A character used to determine the position of letters on the staff. There are two clefs in general use, F clef and G clef.

17. What is a Brace?

A character used to connect Staves.

18. What is a Score?

All the music that is connected by the brace and that moves across the page, once.

19. What are Measures?

Groups of regularly recurring accented and unaccented pulses or beats.

Note 4. Measures are shown to the eye by light bars drawn vertically across the staff.

20. What are Measure Figures?

Figures on the fourth line of the staff to show into how many Parts the Measure is divided. (See Illustrations 8 to 13 inclusive, Chapter V.)

21. What are Beat-note Figures?

Figures on the second line, to indicate the note value of One Part of the measure. (See Illustrations 14 to 16 inclusive.)

Note. 5. Now study Chapter V., in detail.

22. What is a Key?

A family of tones, bearing a certain fixed relations to each other.

Note 6. There are twelve Major Keys (See preface page,) (each having a relative Mnor.) in general use. (See Chapters VI and VII.) Also study Chapters VIII, IX and X.

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